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Suspect Arrested After Stabbing Woman Multiple Times

Riverside, CA – On Friday, September 21, 2012, at approximately 9:30 p.m., the Riverside Police Department Communications Center received a 911 call for a woman who had just been stabbed at an apartment complex in the 2400 block of Iowa. Patrol officers arrived and located the woman suffering from multiple stab wounds. Personnel from the Riverside Fire Department and American Medical Response responded to the location and transported the female to a local area hospital where she was treated for her wounds and is currently in stable condition.

Patrol officers were able to determine where the suspect lived and officers responded to that location. Officers located the suspect and detained him without incident.

Detectives from the Riverside Police Department Robbery Homicide Unit and personnel from the Forensic Evidence Unit responded to the location. Based on preliminary investigation it is believed that the victim was backing her vehicle out of a garage when the suspect approached and forcefully removed her from the vehicle. The suspect then began stabbing the victim numerous times. The suspect also struck the victim with his vehicle prior to leaving the location. The suspect, Arthur Wayne McNeil, a 31-year-old Riverside resident was interviewed by Homicide Investigators and later booked into the Robert Presley Detention Center for one count of Attempt Murder, one count of Assault with a Deadly Weapon and one count of Spousal Abuse.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Detective Jim Simons at (951) 353-7138 or Detective Greg Rowe at (951) 353-7136.

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